

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Public Services – PR & RD Department – Sri B. Kesava Rao, the then EE, PR, Tekkali and now retired – Irregularities in BT to road from Kavity to Idduvanipalem – Departmental proceedings instituted under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Enquiry conducted – Further action dropped on humanitarian grounds – Orders – Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (ESTT.I.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 781

Dated:31-05-2010.  
Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.879, PR&rD (E.I) Department, Dated: 21.6.2004.
2. From Sri B. Kesava Rao, EE, PR, Tekkali (Retd.), Written Statement of defence Dt.8.12.2005.
3. G.O.Rt.No.1233, PR&RD (E.I) Department, Dated: 24.8.2009.
4. From Sri P. Subrahmanya Sastry, I/c CE, PR, O/o. Engineer-in-Chief, PR, Hyderabad, Lr.No.532/SKLM/AEE3/DEE1/2009, Dt. .4.2010.

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ORDER:-

In the G.O. 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the following charge was framed against Sri B. Kesava Rao, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Tekkali and now retired for the irregularities committed by him in BT to road from Kavity to Idduvanipalem, with a direction to submit a written statement of defence:-

"The said, Sri B. Kesava Rao, while working as Executive Engineer (PR), Tekkali, has misused his official position, and failed to discharge his official legitimate duties properly thereby caused loss to the Government to a tune of Rs.1,49,000/-"

2. In the representation 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, Sri B. Kesava Rao, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Tekkali and now retired has submitted his written statement of defence, denying the charges framed against him. After examining the same, in the G.O 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, Government have appointed Sri P. Subrahmanya Sastry, I/c Chief Engineer, RIAD, O/o. Engineer-in-Chief (PR) as Enquiry Officer for conducting regular enquiry in this matter and the Superintending Engineer, PR, Srikakulam was appointed as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer on behalf of the disciplinary authority.

3. In the letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted his enquiry report. The Enquiry Officer, in his analysis and assessment, has observed that the loss for which the charged officer was made responsible was made good to the Government by the remittance of the bank guarantee amount to a tune of Rs.1,49,000/- by the Contractor in the shape of Bankers cheque. The Enquiry Officer has, therefore, observed that there is no loss to the Government. The Enquiry Officer, in his findings, has held that as per records available the FSD amount of Rs.1,49,000/- was realized from the Contractor and remitted into the Government account and that there is no loss to Government.

4. Government, after careful examination of the entire matter, have decided to drop further action against Sri B. Kesava Rao, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Tekkali and now retired in this matter, on humanitarian grounds, in view of the remittance of the bank guarantee to Government by the contractor and also, as the individual has retired from service.

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5. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Sri B. Kesava Rao, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Tekkali and now retired in this matter, on humanitarian grounds, in view of the remittance of the bank guarantee to Government by the Contractor and also, as the individual has retired from service.

6. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.V.P.C. SASTRY  
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri B. Kesava Rao, the then Executive Engineer, PR, Tekkali and now retired through Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER